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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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Enclosed are:

- A specification consisting of Thirty-eight (38) pages
- ∑ Twenty-four (24) sheet(s) formal drawings
- $oxed{\boxtimes}$ An assignment of the invention
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.27
- ☐ Applicant does not claim priority

	Applicant claims the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on Application No(s). 2002-278568, 2002-281090, 2002-351974 and 2002-352121 filed in Japan on September 25, 2002, September 26, 2002, and December 4, 2002, respectively. Certified copy(ies) is(are) attached hereto. Certified copy(ies) will follow.				
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